





## CURRENT TOPICS.

BY MRS. HATTIE GRINNELL.

Night is strong, but right is always stronger.

Autumn is stealing on us. Long evenings to read and practice and study.

Disenchantment has never yet ruined any one, while selfishness has ruined thousands.

Royal October! Queen of the year. Yellow and red leaves are here. The words will soon be ablaze.

A life well spent is worth any number of speeches—a man's or woman's daily life is the best test of his or her social state.

It is all right to pay proper respect to the opinions of others, but we are in no way bound to accept them or allow them to change our own.

It is intimated that the University of Chicago, will confer the honorary degree of L. D. upon Admiral George Dewey. This University is not lavishly with such honors and has conferred this degree upon but one person: President William McKinley.

It is one of the World's Fair in Chicago on fifty dollars it was a "quess." To go to the Paris Exposition on a hundred is simply laughable. I'd hate to start with less than five hundred and then a month at such a place would only give one a confused idea at best.

Dewey is a fine character as well as a fine Admiral—for instance—"Let my home be modest enough in appointment and cost to permit the retention of a sufficient sum of money from the purchase fund to defray the expense of traveling." Dewey is no more entitled to all that than any other true soldier, even a private.

The last day of the Democratic carnival in conjunction with the Texas State Fair at Dallas was the most successful from point of numbers of any political gathering in the history of the State. Fifty thousand people were present. Mr. Bryan was accorded a remarkable ovation. Judge Tamm, of Kentucky, spoke. The dollar dinner was the feature.

As I sit at my window writing I have in one beautiful yard a most beautiful large autumn tree—a maple. I do not believe there are two leaves on it of the same tint and shade. Across the way in another yard is a cherry tree in full bloom, heavy with fragrant flowers. It has a Southern exposure. Isn't this rather an unusual occurrence? A cherry tree heavily in bloom in October? The continued warm, dry season has caused it to happen.

I have from Bay View, a letter asking what the prospects are for a circle. Mrs. John Wright, of Irvington, having sent my name. I have also one of the Bay-View Magazine—perfect come of thought. This year is Russian year. The Russian Empire is assuming much importance now, anyone can spend a delightful year there, as the circle did in England, in Germany, France, all rich fields of study. A circle cannot be formed here. A few very few would like one. Too much praise for Irvington's real we cannot give.

"The riches of the commonwealth, the few, strong minds, and hours of wealth."

And more to be had than gold or gain.

What a true and beautiful compliment from Whittier, to a rounded, well-balanced life of character, activity, and culture. I apply these lines to the ladies of Irvington and Bayview. It is indeed, wonderful how they strive for larger usefulness, greater happiness and intelligent themes. How the domination of serious themes helps! And the Association with bright minds and best hearts fit them to rank with "the riches of the commonwealth."

Noticing in this paper last week an editorial concerning "trusts" reminds

## LILAC VALLEY.

Mrs. Ella Smith is on the sick list.

The wedding bells are ringing.

The farmers are all busy sowing wheat.

Miss Joan Hardesty is spending the week with Mrs. Nell Roberts.

Mrs. Ida Dowell was the guest of Mrs. George Dowell last Tuesday.

Mrs. Myrtle Hall, of Brandenburg, was the guest of Mrs. Ida Dowell Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. John Childs and family spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. and George Dowell.

R. C. Dowell sold a steer, five and one-half months old to Mr. John Allgood, of Brandenburg, for \$23.

Mrs. Melissa Bewley and Mrs. Rosa Anderson were the guests of Mrs. O. D. Richardson, of Ekron, last Thursday.

Mrs. Mattie and Charles Helt, of Irvington, were the guests of Miss Ella and Little Helt Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Melissa Bewley, Miss Susie Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. George Dowell, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Simpson Sunday.

We are very sorry to say that Mr. J. C. Dowell, of Irvington, who has been sick for some time, is worse again at this writing.

Mrs. Thomas and Owen Dowell, Joe Bandy, Glen Bandy and Miss Hettie Bandy, of Irvington, attended church at Salem last Sunday.

Mr. Charles Helt and wife, Mrs. Melissa Bewley, Mrs. Nick Helt, and Mrs. Lala Hendricks were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mills Tuesday.

A letter has been received from Tom Smith and Jake Frank saying they are dissatisfied in Texas and are going to Oklahoma. We would be glad to welcome them back to Kentucky.

Mrs. John Wright, of this neighborhood, died last Sunday of consumption. She leaves a husband and three children, to mourn her loss. They have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement.

Mr. Chris Bewley and family, Mr. Nick Helt and wife, Mrs. Lala Hendricks and children, spent the day with Mrs. S. C. Dowell last Friday and had a good time, but the best of all was the dinner. Mrs. Dowell is one of the best cooks in the community and knows how to make every feast at home and have a good time.

The death angel has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Durbin, and claimed for its victim, their oldest daughter, Mrs. Fannie. We would say to the bereaved parents, brother and sisters, weep not as those who have no hope, for Miss Fannie was perfectly restored to the Lord's will and was ready and willing to go when the summons came to come up higher. We would say to the dear brother and sisters to prepare to meet her in heaven, where partings shall be no more.

Remarkable Rescues.  
Mrs. Michael Curtin, Plainfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her to leave the house and get a change of air, but she could not do so. She continued to use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; she does her own housework and is as well as ever. For trial bottles of this Great Discovery at Short & Haynes' Drug Store. Large bottles \$5 cents per \$1.00.

SAND CAVE FLAT.

Dry weather continues.

Frank Shelman went to Addison last Saturday.

Vote for Taylor is the way to defeat Goebel.

Mr. Carlisle has moved to the Payne property near Ekron.

Many thanks to the editor of the News for the Farm Journal.

Herman Lay opened school at Lookout Monday, October 2d.

All Oshman, of Union Star, attended church at Stephensburg last Sunday.

A. A. Claycomb and Foster McKanghan went to Addison last Thursday.

Crafton Cunningham has rented the L. B. Helm farm which was occupied last year by Wash Hickerson.

Our pastor, Bro. Z. Ferrell, is an earnest, consecrated man, an excellent preacher and a good pastor, and we are very much in hopes that he will accept the call that the church gave him last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oshman and little daughter and Mrs. Wm. Robertson of Washington county, Nebraska, formerly of this county, after spending several weeks with friends and relatives here returned home Monday October 2d. Mrs. Syrena Jarrett accompanied them as far as Cloverport.

Dr. G. Oshman, of Stephensburg, went back to Owensboro, his former home, and secured to himself a young bride in the person of Miss Addie Short, a member of the Walnut-street Baptist church, and a very highly respected young lady. The writer extends congratulations and wishes them every joy that heaven can send.

How strange, and yet how true, that a great many Christian people do not seem to think themselves responsible for the way they treat each other, and for the way they treat the pastor of their church. Methinks the Saviour of the world looks over at the modern Jerusalem as He did at the ancient city, and exclaims "O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, thou that killest the prophets and stonest them that are sent unto thee, how often would I have gathered thy children together, even as

a hen gathereth her chickens under her wings, and ye would not!" It is the duty of every Christian to at least be heard "holding up the prophetic hands."

Keep it in Your Home.  
And when the bowls fall to not properly, take a dose of Laro's LAXATIVE Syrup—It acts gently but effectively on the kidneys, liver and bowels; will keep your system in good working order and will keep your complexion clear.

Feed Hogs a Variety.

Books of various kinds with apples and meal make one excellent cheap hog food. Pumpkins may be added, or pumpkins, meal and apples may be used. If no roots are at hand, boiled pumpkins and meal are excellent and hogs will thrive upon them. One important item is to see that your hogs have a good warm place to sleep in. Many pigs that were out for large hogs are wasted by being half fed, and nearly frozen in the cold winter.—J. L. Hensley, New Hampshire.

A Short Bad Story.

A Cold.  
Neglect.  
Pneumonia.  
Grief.

Had Foley's Honey and Tar been used, this story would have had a happier ending.—A. R. Fisher, Cloverport; E. A. Witt, Hardinsburg.

Setting a High Mark.

Soon—I hope, governor, that when I attain to your years I'll know more than you do.

Father—I'll give you one better, my dear boy, and hope that when you reach my age you'll know as much as you think you know now.—Boies Owens.

For all fresh cuts or wounds, in either the human subject or in animals, as a dressing, BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT is excellent; will for some time working home, especially if slow to heal, or suppurating, its healing qualities are unequalled. Price 25 and 50 cts.—A. R. Fisher, Drugist.

A Test of Good Citizenship in Maine.

Charles H. Lovejoy, for about twenty years member of the Maine Senate, is an excellent public servant. His politics were wondrous this year, and easily took the first premium at the Sidney fair—Portland Press.

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## BRECKENRIDGE NEWS.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 18, 1900.

## The News in Brief.

Nothing parties are all the go. Farmers are crying for rain. Wilbra Greory is on the sick list. Fresh oysters Friday at F. Bellfield's. Ladies go to Tulsa's for your collars. Go to Bellfield's for your fresh oysters. Stage and fancy groceries at Bulser's. Cooks are at a premium in this town. The boys are beginning to get snarled. Fancy plaids for ladies' skirts at Bulser's.

H. V. Harris, of Louisville, is in the city.

Knockport, Ind., is to have an egg case factory.

Oysters served in any style at F. Bellfield's.

Mrs. Forest Lightfoot is visiting in Haverhill.

Miss Louise Babbage went to Louisville Friday.

Misses Ella and Jane Smith spent Sunday at Holt's.

Haven't had a remarkable spell of weather so far?

Mrs. H. V. Duncan returned Friday from Louisville.

Edward Grogan contemplates moving to Cannellton, Ind.

Stylish men who are after stylish colors must go to Bulser's.

The election of a new board of Councilmen in Newburgh.

Tobaccoists are coming to town preparatory to begin buying.

Mr. H. L. Stader and Miss Rose Ryan spent Sunday in Irvington.

Jesse Owen went to Louisville Saturday, to take in the Central.

Jesse Kaysand family were in Lodi-burg, Sunday with relatives.

Most any kind of a manufacturing plant would pay in this town.

Little Mattie Willis, who has been quite ill, is convalescing.

Miss Allene Murray will leave today for Haverhill to visit friends.

The numerous street fairs in Illinois are meeting with great success.

Commercial travelers report the largest business they have had in years.

Mrs. William Vest and son, Eugene, spent Sunday at the Ter Springs.

The swellest article in the collar line for ladies can be had at Bulser's.

Miss Mabel Stewart, of Stillman, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bartlett.

Miss Eva Young, of Morgansfield, is the guest of Mrs. Charles R. Stillman.

A factory has been organized at Cannellton with a capital stock of \$10,000.

The scrag of wheat shown in this and Meade county will be above the average.

Miss Nellie Burk and Mrs. John Long of Addison, were in town Monday.

Attorney Scott Morrison was returning from Louisville to Owensboro Sunday night.

Owen Sexton took to Louisville last week twenty head of hogs. He received \$75.

James T. Smith, T. R. Hook and Phil McElroy, of Hardinsburg, were in town Sunday.

Miss Jean Todd, of Owensboro, passed through the city Friday en route to Louisville.

Jesse Graham, of Henderson, is in the city the guest of his mother, Mrs. Amanda Graham.

James Smith, of Hardinsburg, spent Sunday in this city, the guest of Miss Doris Berry.

Carlton Overton has returned from Knockport, Ind., where he spent several pleasant days.

Miss Lou McLean, of Louisville, will arrive tomorrow to visit Miss Nellie Burk at Addison.

Passenger traffic has been extraordinarily good on the Henderson Route the past two weeks.

"Daisy" Bevin went to Evansville last week to attend the reunion of the Blue and Gray.

Yrs. Timber and Mrs. Williams, of Wellston, are in the city the guests of relatives and friends.

Miss Della Bell spent Sunday and Sunday in Cannellton, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Bell.

Mrs. George Hendler and children, of Haverhill, were the guests of Miss Allene Murray last week.

Oglethorpe, of Lodi-burg, was in the city Sunday and Monday visiting his mother, Mrs. Frank Hall.

Many can only find the time of the last week when they are "dressed."

HERBIE with reluciance a week, and so on, and so on, and so on, to secure the means of health.

Price 10 cents. J. B. Fisher, Druggist.

## LONG BRANCH.

"Mrs. J. B. Delaney returned home Sunday, after a pleasant visit to Mr. and Mrs. Orlie Delaney at Holt."

James Lawson Jr., of Louisville, was passenger on the west bound train Saturday morning, for Evansville.

Miss Katie Moore, after an enjoyable stay with Miss Olivia Fallon, has returned to her home at Big Chilly.

Fred Delaney and Mooman Willis returned Friday night, from Louisville, where they had been several days.

Misses Maude Lewis and Carrie Graham spent Sunday at Stillman, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Colley.

Mrs. Elvira J. Babbage, who after several weeks stay, with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. V. G. Babbage, has returned home.

Mrs. May E. Sheldon and Mr. Annie Whelan and son, Harry, of Cannellton, were in the city Sunday the guests of A. G. Sheldon and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Moorman and daughter, Margaret, returned Sunday from a week's visit to Mrs. Nellie Hatchett, near Louisville.

There is an display at Gregory & Gibson's a beautiful ten piece toilet set with artistic decorations, which is being sold at the low figure of \$2.75.

Mrs. Mary Lee, an estimable old lady of Cannellton, Ind., died last Thursday. She was the mother of John Lee, who is well known in this city.

Mrs. Hugh Weatherholt and Misses Emma Fink, Mary Anderson and Lena Lewis were down from Tolpport, on Monday—Cannellton Inquirer.

Will Green was a passenger on Sunday night's west bound train returning from Louisville. While there he didn't miss any of the Central.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Winchel who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Winchel, of Tolpport, Ind., left Monday for home at Morgansfield, Ill.

Mrs. A. H. Boyd will leave today for Louisville, to be the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles P. Babbage. While there she will take in the Central.

Dinner, loss of appetite, flatulency and nausea are all cured with dyspepsia or indigestion. HERBIE will give you prompt relief. Price 50 cts.—A. R. Fisher, Druggist.

Mr. Horace Lewis and children, of Turre Haste, Ind., were here Friday and Saturday with her cousin Florence Lewis. Mrs. Lewis before returning home will visit relatives at Hardinsburg.

Miss Jenny Green, of Falls of Rough, who spent a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Short, left Friday for Louisville where she will be for a month at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mendall Morris.

Misses Katie Starks, of Hardin county, and Lola Harrington, of Madsburg, are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Seymour. They spent Sunday at the Ter Springs and were accompanied by Messrs. Eder Hall and Jo Tom Mattingly.

Farm Journal for the balance of 1899 and all of 1900, 1901, 1902 and 1903, nearly five years, to every subscriber who will pay one year in advance to the Breckenridge News. No better farm paper than the Farm Journal. This offer is only made to a limited number—the first who come forward.

Words of Wisdom: Messrs. Jno. D. & V. G. Babbage, Greaser—In receiving my subscription to the News, it gives me great pleasure to notice the wonderful improvement it has made since I began to read it. In the independence of view, its fearlessness in all public affairs and in the cleanliness, it compares favorably with our best journals, and I do not know any equal as a country paper in Kentucky. Go on as you have, fearlessly, independently, printing a clean, dignified paper, and I feel sure you will have your reward. Very truly yours, L. D. ALEXANDER.

As we said last week, it is such tributes as the above that make possible our efforts to keep our paper up to the standard we have set for it, and all our readers are commended for sincere friends are deeply appreciated.

Mr. I. D. Alexander was formerly a Meade county man, but has been a resident of New York for many years. He is a banker in that metropolis and well deserves all the success he has gained.

Fell Thirty Feet. Thos. Morrison, while painting the store building of F. N. Delany's Friday, lost his footing and fell a distance of thirty feet. He was somewhat bruised about the face, but is not seriously injured.

Consumption is robbed of its terrors by the fact that the best medical authorities state that it is a curable disease; and one of the happy things about it, is that its victims rarely ever lose hope.

You know there are all sorts of cures, when people die of consumption. Some make about claims. We only say that if taken in time and the laws of health are properly observed.

SCOTT'S EMULSION will heal the inflammation of the throat and lungs and nourish and strengthen the body so that it can throw off disease.

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Explanation of their nature by Dr. Hartman, who tells how to cure them.

Dr. Hartman's book for women, called "Health and Beauty," treats these matters with delicacy, and at the same time with clearness. Write to the Per-na Medicine Company, Columbus, O., for it is mailed free. It contains all the latest and most successful methods of curing these diseases as Mrs. C. C. Nave, 186 Morrison St., Portland, Ore., writes as follows:

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## NEW ERA IN EDUCATION.

The Great Change Now Taking Place in Our Secondary Schools.

Do the parents, teachers and school officers of our land realize the profound significance of the change now taking place in our secondary education?

The obvious cause of the change is two-fold: First, the unprecedented increase in enrollment of pupils and, secondly, dissatisfaction with the lack of sound educational character in many school programmes of study. As for the first cause, little need be said beyond citing the statistics for the eight years reported since the opening of this decade. In the school year 1890-91 our secondary schools (high schools and academies) enrolled 297,984 pupils. In 1897-98 the enrollment had risen to 551,514, a gain of 86 per cent, a rate that means doubling in ten years, and that also means a growth four or five times more rapid than the rate of increase in population.

This huge gain, for so it might be called without exaggeration, was found to be widely distributed. It was most marked in the Middle West in connection with the public high schools, and least marked in the private Eastern academies. Nevertheless, the gain was not localized or sporadic, but natural. Such a widely diffused increase has naturally compelled attention to the problem of organizing the resources of the secondary schools in order to cope successfully with this increasing host of pupils.

The second cause of the change now a progress with the change in former school programmes of study. There were too many studies crowded into the programme. In other words, American education is moving steadily, and we think at least irresistibly, toward the more elementary and elemental conviction that the best thing for the mass of pupils in secondary schools is a programme consisting of a few well-related studies of central importance, instead of a miscellany.

In this sufficient evidence, then, that this tendency of things is becoming strongly marked among us? Let us see. Take out all the secondary studies for which statistics are available from 1890-91 to 1897-98:

Studies	Enrollment 1890-91	Enrollment 1897-98	Perc. Inc.
Latin	100,545	174,042	72.4
English	100,545	174,042	72.4
Algebra	100,545	174,042	72.4
Geometry	100,545	174,042	72.4
French	100,545	174,042	72.4
German	100,545	174,042	72.4
Spanish	100,545	174,042	72.4
Portuguese	100,545	174,042	72.4
Italian	100,545	174,042	72.4
Japanese	100,545	174,042	72.4
Chinese	100,545	174,042	72.4
Arabic	100,545	174,042	72.4
Hebrew	100,545	174,042	72.4
Sanskrit	100,545	174,042	72.4
Persian	100,545	174,042	72.4
Turkish	100,545	174,042	72.4
Malay	100,545	174,042	72.4
Siamese	100,545	174,042	72.4
Khmer	100,545	174,042	72.4
Thai	100,545	174,042	72.4
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The importance of the figures is the more evident when we bear in mind that the rate of increase in the total enrollment of pupils from 297,984 in 1890-91 to 551,514 in 1897-98 is 86 per cent. But certain studies are growing faster than this, some of them much faster. Latin, to the surprise of many, heads the list with its literally enormous gain of 74 per cent, a rate fully double the 86 per cent. which represents the eight year increase in the total number of pupils. Next comes history with 152 per cent, then the two mathematical disciplines (geometry with 147 and algebra with 141), and then German with 131. After them we find French with 107 and Greek with 91. All these and only these exceed the average. Physics and chemistry close the list somewhat below.

Although figures for the other studies are not obtainable for the whole eight years mentioned, they are obtainable for the last three years (1894-95 to 1897-98) of this period for all the other studies of any note, excepting English literature

and civics. But not one of them shows an extraordinary rate of gain. Every one of them, if their rates of gain for the three years reported are estimated as three-fourths of their gain for the eight years, fall below the 86 per cent., and some of them (astronomy and geology) are falling behind very rapidly. The list of these studies is as follows: Astronomy, physical geography, geology, physiology, psychology, rhetoric, trigonometry really belongs with these, though its statistics are given for six years.

Where does English come in? Of course it comes in largely, and under the two divisions of English literature and rhetoric. Separate figures for English literature appear for one year only, the last of the eight years (1897-98), and consequently the rate of gain cannot be calculated. But it is large, moderate or small, it will not detract from the exceptional value of the gains in Latin, history, geometry, algebra, German, French and even Greek. We do not know distinctly just what the gain in algebra has been, but it is very large then we must add one more to our list of leading studies showing great increase. And now the other side of English seems to be gaining as about the average rate.

The studies showing the most rapid growth in eight years since 1890-91 are, then, the classics, mathematics, history and modern languages. Just these, and nothing else, unless we take the risk of adding English. Latin is at the head and Greek at the end of this line of seven victorious races. History is a good second, with geometry and algebra almost abreast for third place. Then, at intervals, come German and French. That Greek is last need not be wondered at. The wonder is that Greek is surpassing the average rate of 86 per cent.

But look at Latin. Not only is its rate of gain greatest, but it actually enrolls more pupils than any other secondary study except algebra and possibly English. The figures for Latin are 274,293, for algebra they are 209,735. Latin also enrolls twice as many pupils as French and German combined. The "parent language" does seem at last to be getting the parent's share. Turning to the other studies, it is most gratifying to find history assuming its proper place. Not alone because it is a study, but because it has such intimate relation to the whole humanistic side of education. History and the classics, history and modern languages, history and English—how many of these combinations blend! Then the two mathematical disciplines are well up with the general increase in our favored studies of science. And again, if we note the value of the great gain in mathematics in its relation to other subjects. Mathematics and classics is a combination known of old. Mathematics and modern languages—how often these go together today!—Educational Review.

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The above symptoms are often attributed by the patient herself or by her physician to female weakness or womb trouble. Hence, so many fail to obtain relief, because they are treating not the disease itself, but the reflection of the primary cause, which is kidney trouble.

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## KENTUCKY CROP REPORT.

Condition of Crops And Live Stock October 1st, 1899.

Replies were received this month from 138 correspondents, representing 97 counties.

CORN. The average yield per acre is estimated at 21.4 bushels. The estimate on Oct. 1, 1898, was 22.5, and for a corresponding date of 1897 it was 24 bushels.

The dry weather during September was of benefit in hastening the maturity of the crop, otherwise a considerable loss would have been sustained by the severe frost of 29th and 30th; as it is the loss is inconsequential, amounting to but 4 per cent. The heaviest loss occurred in the western section, where the rainfall was more liberal and the growing season accordingly prolonged. The quality of 1899 is not up to the standard, being "chaffy" and loose on cob.

While the crop is generally disappointing, both in yield and quality, it is rather remarkable that a few counties, notably Davison and Henderson, report the crop one of the best ever produced.

TOBACCO. In the Burley district the average yield per acre is estimated at 825 pounds. This is a heavy average and is mainly due to the unusually heavy yields reported from the counties of Boyle, Clay, Jessamine, Marion, Mercer and Woodford. Omitting these counties from the calculation and the average is 741 pounds, which is about 10 per cent. over the correct amount, being within a few pounds of the average for 1898.

The acreage of the Burley district, after allowing for losses sustained by insects and unfavorable season, was estimated at 85 per cent. of the acreage of 1898. With approximately the same yield per acre we may conclude that the Burley crop of 1899 will amount to 86 per cent. of the crop of 1898.

Worms were very destructive during the latter part of the season. With the exception of damage from this source, that portion of crop not before ripe, in order to save from firing, the quality is satisfactory. The damage from frost was very slight in this section, amounting to but three-fourths of one per cent.

The yield per acre for the "Dark Tobacco" district is estimated at 730 pounds, which is 85 pounds per acre less than the estimate for 1898. The decrease is accounted for by an imperfect stand and a lack of moisture at the time most needed for the development of the plant. The acreage was estimated earlier in the season at 82 per cent. of the acreage of 1898. If we accept as correct the estimates of a decrease, both in yield and acreage, the crop of Dark Tobacco amounts to 72 per cent. of the crop of 1898. The damage by frost in this district amounts to 2.6 per cent.

CLOVER SEED. The clover seed crop is practically a failure in the State. The acreage cut is but 42 per cent. of the acreage of 1898, with an average yield of 1.6 bushels per acre.

PASTURES. Pastures are very short, especially in the western and central sections, where it is necessary to feed stock some as during the winter season. The condition compared with average years is 65. The advanced season precludes any hope of relief from the labor and expense of feeding stock, and the best to be done is to protect stock and economize in the use of feed as to lighten as much as possible the expense of the long feeding season.

LIVE STOCK. Short pastures and scarcity of stock water are having a marked effect on live stock. Where the scant grazing has been supplemented with some forage crop stock has grown thin, and in poor condition to withstand the winter. The most notable feature connected with live stock is the scarcity of hog-begging for market. The number is estimated at 75 per cent. of the number in 1898, and is due, more than anything else, to the great loss of pigs during the severe weather of last winter. Cholera or other disease prevails to a limited extent only, and is confined to a few counties. Replies to question "Have you hog cholera in county?" are 101 in negative and 13 in the affirmative.

The apple crop is one of the lightest ever grown, and is estimated at but 37 per cent. of the crop of average years. The reason for this is the early and late frosts, which caused the fruit to drop on the trees, and the per cent. of sound ripe fruit is very small.

While sowing has begun and is being pushed with vigor, stock ground in excellent condition, being free from weeds and unusually light and friable, so that when corn is followed by wheat it will be sown and most favorable land is also in good condition, but the latter planting is rough and "cloudy," and the continued dry weather renders it impossible to put in proper order for sowing.

Follow planting is now at a standstill, and the need of a considerable per cent. of the acreage is being noted.

LUCAS KOONS, Commissioner of Agriculture.

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